

**REMARKS**

Claims 1 - 10 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 2, 6, and 10 have been amended. New claims 11 - 20 have been added. Claims 1 - 20 remain in the application.

The objection of claim 6 has been addressed by the present amendment.

The rejection of claims 1-3 and 7-10 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Broyles (U.S. Patent No. 3,049,729) in view of Poole (UK Patent Application No. 2 172 198 A) is hereby traversed and reconsideration thereof is respectfully requested in view of remarks set forth below.

As stated in the Office Action, Broyles fails to disclose a sidewall with an outer surface having a pattern formed thereon. The Action further asserts that Poole teaches a decorative panel. However, Poole clearly states that the “decorative panel 54 is attached to the frame unit 10 by means of tape, glue or clips.” (Page 1, lines 127 - 129). Poole also mentions that the panel 54 can be detached and replaced. (page 2, lines 9 - 12). Accordingly, the combination of Broyles and Poole references fails to teach or suggest an outer surface of the sidewall with a pattern that is integrally formed with the sidewall, as recited in amended claim 1.

The rejection of claims 1-3 and 7-10 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Propst (U.S. Patent No. 2,827,952) in view of Poole (UK Patent Application No. 2 172 198 A) is hereby traversed and reconsideration thereof is respectfully requested in view of remarks set forth below.

The Office Action admits that Propst fails to disclose a sidewall with an outer surface having a pattern formed thereon. Poole does not disclose a pattern integrally formed in the sidewall.

At least for these reasons, neither Broyles nor Propst or Poole, taken either alone or in combination, teach or suggest the features recited in amended claim 1. Amended claim 1 is therefore patentable over the art of record. Claims 2 - 10 depend from amended claim 1 and are also patentable at least for the same reasons that amended claim 1 is patentable.

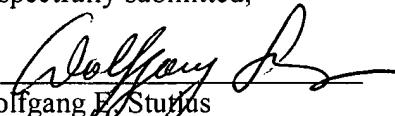
New claims 11 - 20 include subject matter that is not taught or suggested by the references of record, as discussed *supra*.

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. SMCY-P02-085 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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